



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title of Application	Active Heat Sink Structure with Flow Augmenting Rings and Method for Removing Heat
Group Art Unit 3743	Examiner Leonard R. Leo

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

## Response to Official Action

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action of December 10, 1999, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

## Remarks

By the foregoing Amendment, a terminal disclaimer in compliance with 37 CFR 1.321 and 3.73(b) is filed herein to overcome a rejection of the claims, which remain in the application, based on the judicially created doctrine of double patenting over 1 of U.S. Patent 5,896,917. Entry of the Amendment, and favorable consideration thereof is earnestly requested.

Mailing Certificate: I hereby certify that this correspondence is today being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as *First Class Mail* in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks; Washington, DC 20231.

June 8 , 2000

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